Panchayats Without Veterinary Hospital

518 [926] **Dr. A. Subha Rao:** Will the Minister for forests be pleased to state:

(a) The number of Panchayats in the State which do not have Veterinary Hospitals or Dispensaries.

(b) The number and the names of the Panchayats in Kasargod District which do not have Veterinary Hospitals or Dispensaries;

(c) What steps have the Government taken to set up Dispensaries in each Panchayats?

Answer

(a) 455

(b) 17 (The list is appended) †

(c) Government propose to establish attest one type of Veterinary institutions. Such as Veterinary Hospitals/Dispensary or Artificial Insemination Centre etc. in each Panchayat in a phased manner.

Veterinary Hospitals without Veterinary Surgeons

519 [927] **Dr. A. Subha Rao:** Will the Minister for Forests be pleased to State:

(a) The No. of Veterinary Institutions where there are no Veterinary Surgeons;

(b) What steps have the Government taken to fill up these vacancies?

Answer

(a) 224

(b) The Kerala Public Services Commission has been requested to select candidates to fill up the vacancies urgently. The Number of seats in the Veterinary College of Kerala Agriculture University has been raised to 120 to get more qualified hands.

Veterinary College in Malabar

520 [928] **Dr. A. SubhaRao:** Will the Minister for forests be pleased to state:

(a) Whether there is any proposal to start a veterinary College in Malabar area;

(b) If so when is it expected to be established;

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